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VC Subcommittee on Capital Outlay  
Member of Senate Fiscal Agency Board of  
Governors

## **SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**

### **Minutes - Wednesday, April 1, 2009**

A meeting of the Senate Appropriations Committee was held on Wednesday, April 1, 2009, in the Senate Appropriations Room, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Capitol Building.

Chairman Jelinek called the meeting to order at 2:23 p.m.

The roll of the Committee was called by the Committee Clerk.

Senator Jelinek – Present	Senator Switalski – Present
Senator Pappageorge – Present	Senator Anderson – Present
Senator Hardiman – Present	Senator Barcia – Present
Senator Kahn – Present	Senator Brater – Present
Senator Cropsey – Present	Senator Cherry – Present
Senator Garcia – Present	Senator Clark-Coleman – Present
Senator George – Present	Senator Scott – Present
Senator Jansen – Present	
Senator Brown – Present	
Senator McManus – Present	
Senator Stamas – Present	

## **AGENDA**

### **1. Approval of the Minutes from March 25, 2009.**

Senator Hardiman moved, supported by Senator Jansen, to approve the minutes from March 25, 2009.

A record roll call vote was ordered.

Senator Jelinek – Yes	Senator Switalski – Yes
Senator Pappageorge – Yes	Senator Anderson – Yes
Senator Hardiman – Yes	Senator Barcia – Yes
Senator Kahn – Yes	Senator Brater – Yes
Senator Cropsey – Yes	Senator Cherry – Yes
Senator Garcia – Yes	Senator Clark-Coleman – Yes

Senator George - Yes  
Senator Jansen - Yes  
Senator Brown - Yes  
Senator McManus - Yes  
Senator Stamas - Yes

Senator Scott - Yes

Motion carried, the minutes were approved.

**2. HB 4258 – Rep. Cushingberry – Appropriations; supplemental; multidepartment supplemental for certain fiscal years; provide for.**

Gary Olson, Director, Senate Fiscal Agency, explained the bill.

Bob Emerson, Director, State Budget Office, was available to respond to questions from Committee members.

Liesl Clark, Deputy Director, and Amy Butler, Director, Energy Systems, with the Department of Energy, Labor and Economic Development were available to respond to questions from Committee members.

Senator Kahn offered the following amendment (#1) to HB 4258:

1. Amend page 17, following line 18, by inserting:

“Sec. 208. The line-item appropriations in part 1 of this bill financed by federal funds designated as ARRA funding represent federal funds associated with the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. These federal funds are temporary in nature. It is the intent of the legislature that when these temporary federal funds are fully expended, the program funding levels supported by these temporary federal funds will not be continued.”

Senator Kahn explained his amendment.

Senator Kahn moved, supported by Senator Jansen, to adopt the Kahn amendment (#1) to HB 4258.

A record roll call vote was ordered.

Senator Jelinek - Yes  
Senator Pappageorge - Yes  
Senator Hardiman - Yes  
Senator Kahn - Yes  
Senator Cropsey - Yes  
Senator Garcia - Yes  
Senator George - Yes  
Senator Jansen - Yes  
Senator Brown - Yes  
Senator McManus - Yes  
Senator Stamas - Yes

Senator Switalski - Yes  
Senator Anderson - Yes  
Senator Barcia - Yes  
Senator Brater - Yes  
Senator Cherry - Yes  
Senator Clark-Coleman - Yes  
Senator Scott - Yes

Motion carried, the Kahn amendment (#1) was adopted.

Senator Pappageorge offered the following amendment (#2) to HB 4258:

1. Amend page 17 following line 18 by inserting:

"Sec. 209. The Michigan economy recovery office shall include a written statement to all recipients of the federal funds appropriated in part 1 stating that the federal funds received are temporary in nature. The statement shall include an explanation that the programs supported with the temporary federal funds will not be continued with state financed appropriations once the temporary federal funds are expended. This written statement shall be included in any contracts that are signed between state departments and recipients of these temporary federal funds."

Senator Pappageorge explained his amendment.

Senator Pappageorge moved, supported by Senator Cropsey, to adopt the Pappageorge amendment (#2) to HB 4258.

A record roll call vote was ordered.

Senator Jelinek – Yes

Senator Pappageorge – Yes

Senator Hardiman - Yes

Senator Kahn – Yes

Senator Cropsey – Yes

Senator Garcia - Yes

Senator George - Yes

Senator Jansen – Yes

Senator Brown – Yes

Senator McManus – Yes

Senator Stamas – Yes

Senator Switalski – Yes

Senator Anderson – Yes

Senator Barcia – Yes

Senator Brater - Yes

Senator Cherry – Yes

Senator Clark-Coleman – Yes

Senator Scott – Yes

Motion carried, the Pappageorge amendment (#2) was adopted.

Chairman Jelinek offered the following amendments (#3) to HB 4258:

1. Amend page 5, line 3, by striking out "112,650,000" and inserting "75,000,000".

2. Amend page 5, line 9, by striking out "112,650,000" and inserting "75,000,000" and adjusting the subtotals, totals, and section 201 accordingly.

Chairman Jelinek explained his amendment.

Chairman Jelinek moved, supported by Senator Cropsey, to adopt the Jelinek amendment (#3) to HB 4258.

A record roll call vote was ordered.

Senator Jelinek – Yes  
Senator Pappageorge – Yes  
Senator Hardiman - Yes  
Senator Kahn – Yes  
Senator Cropsey – Yes  
Senator Garcia - Yes  
Senator George - Yes  
Senator Jansen – Yes  
Senator Brown – Yes  
Senator McManus – Yes  
Senator Stamas – Yes

Senator Switalski – Yes  
Senator Anderson – Yes  
Senator Barcia – Yes  
Senator Brater - Yes  
Senator Cherry – Yes  
Senator Clark-Coleman – Yes  
Senator Scott – Yes

Motion carried, the Jelinek amendment (#3) was adopted.

Chairman Jelinek offered the following amendments (#4) to HB 4258:

1. Amend page 5, line 25, by striking out "344,767,700" and inserting "236,011,700".
2. Amend page 6, line 3, by striking out "344,767,700" and inserting "236,011,700".
3. Amend page 6, line 5, by striking out "344,767,700" and inserting "236,011,700".
4. Amend page 6, line 11, by striking out subsection (2) in its entirety and renumbering all subsequent subsections.

and adjusting the subtotals, totals, and section 201 accordingly.

Chairman Jelinek explained his amendments.

Senator Brown moved, supported by Senator Switalski, to adopt the Jelinek amendments (#4) to HB 4258.

A record roll call vote was ordered.

Senator Jelinek – Yes  
Senator Pappageorge – Yes  
Senator Hardiman - Yes  
Senator Kahn – Yes  
Senator Cropsey – Yes  
Senator Garcia - Yes  
Senator George - Yes  
Senator Jansen – Yes  
Senator Brown – Yes  
Senator McManus – Yes  
Senator Stamas – Yes

Senator Switalski – Yes  
Senator Anderson – Yes  
Senator Barcia – Yes  
Senator Brater - No  
Senator Cherry – No  
Senator Clark-Coleman – No  
Senator Scott – No

Motion carried, the Jelinek amendments (#4) were adopted.

Chairman Jelinek offered the following amendment (#5) to HB 4258:

1. Amend page 17, following line 18, by inserting:

“Sec. 210. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be distributed, transferred, or subcontracted to non-governmental agencies that conduct political organizing activities.”

Chairman Jelinek withdrew his amendment (#5).

Chairman Jelinek offered the following amendment (#6) to HB 4258:

1. Amend page 17, following line 18, by inserting:

“Sec. 210. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be distributed, transferred, or subcontracted to non-governmental agencies for the purpose of conducting political organizing activities.”

Chairman Jelinek explained his amendment.

Chairman Jelinek moved, supported by Senator Hardiman, to adopt the Jelinek amendment (#6) to HB 4258.

A record roll call vote was ordered.

Senator Jelinek – Yes  
Senator Pappageorge – Yes  
Senator Hardiman – Yes  
Senator Kahn – Yes  
Senator Cropsey – Yes  
Senator Garcia – Yes  
Senator George – Yes  
Senator Jansen – Yes  
Senator Brown – Yes  
Senator McManus – Yes  
Senator Stamas – Yes

Senator Switalski – Yes  
Senator Anderson – Yes  
Senator Barcia – Yes  
Senator Brater – Yes  
Senator Cherry – Yes  
Senator Clark-Coleman – Yes  
Senator Scott – Yes

Motion carried, the Jelinek amendment (#6) was adopted.

Senator Pappageorge moved, supported by Senator Switalski, to report HB 4258 as amended with recommendation for immediate effect, and that an S-1 be prepared.

A record roll call vote was ordered.

Senator Jelinek – Yes  
Senator Pappageorge – Yes  
Senator Hardiman – Yes  
Senator Kahn – Yes

Senator Switalski – Yes  
Senator Anderson – Yes  
Senator Barcia – Yes  
Senator Brater – Yes


Senator Cropsey – Yes  
Senator Garcia - Yes  
Senator George - Yes  
Senator Jansen – Yes  
Senator Brown – Yes  
Senator McManus – Yes  
Senator Stamas – Yes


Senator Cherry – Yes  
Senator Clark-Coleman – Yes  
Senator Scott – Yes

Motion carried, HB 4258 (S-1) was reported.

Chairman Jelinek adjourned the meeting at 3:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
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Connie Burgess, Committee Clerk

  
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Ron Jelinek, Committee Chair

4-29-09  
Date Approved By Committee